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James L. Whitney Fund
August 2, 1923

To the Right Honourable Sir George Yonge Baronet
His Majestys Secretary at War &c

The Memorial of Captain Henry Addison
of the 100th Regiment—

Sheweth

That in the year 1775 Your Memorialists
Father and Uncle both Captains in the 52d Regiment
were Slain at Bunkers hill, and your Memorialists
Brother a Lieutenant in the same Regiment was killed
at the Battle on Long Island—

That in the year 1775 General Howe appointed
your Memorialist Ensign in the same Regiment, and
in 1779 Lord Amherst made him Lieutenant in the 58th
Regiment, in which Capacity your Memorialist served
during the Siege of Gibraltar, and lately purchased
a Company in the 100th Regiment—

The Colonels under whom your Memorialist

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has served can vouch for the Regularity of his Conduct and Discipline.

And your Memorialist further sheweth that Captain Lestar Cliffe of the 52d Regiment is lately dead and his Company thereby become vacant.

Your Memorialist therefore prays that he may be exchanged from the 100th to the 52d Regiment in which his Family have suffered as before set forth, and his Company in the 100th be disposed of as his Majesty shall think proper.

And your Memorialist shall ever pray &c

Capt. D. N. B.
New Haven

Capt. Adams
Mouth Black
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